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COUNTY SCHOOL MEET

A BUSY DAY OF SPORTS, CONTESTS AND OTHER ENTERTAINMENT FEATURES AT HONDO

FRIDAY, MARCH 31st

SPLENDID INDUSTRIAL EXHIBIT

Medina County's Second Field Day and Interscholastic School Meet, and the first meeting of the kind ever held in Hondo, was successfully pulled off at this place Friday, March 31st. Although the weather was so threatening as to keep a great many country people away, several thousand guests were within our gates during the day and all seemed to enjoy themselves very much.

The main features of the meeting were of an athletic nature and there was something doing from early morning until late in the afternoon. Prof. O. W. Peters had charge of this feature of the day's entertainment.

The declamations, debates, spelling contest, etc., received their share of attention and elicited considerable interest. We are indebted to County Superintendent W. N. Saathoff for the appended report of these features.

The Girls Home Economics Clubs Convention and Industrial Convention, considering the time devoted to it, was a revelation to all. Ninety dollars worth of prizes were distributed among the Club and School Exhibitors for the many pretty and interesting exhibits. The prizes in this department were all secured by Mrs. Landrum, partly in San Antonio, and with the assistance of Mrs. M. A. Schmitt, in Hondo. Mrs. Landrum tells us the story of her feature in her own entertaining way.

The most educational feature of the meeting was the exhibit and illustrated lecture by Prof. E. E. Scholl, Entomologist of the State Department of Agriculture. Prof. Scholl had on display a large assortment of plant materials and insect specimens for the study of agriculture which attracted a great deal of attention throughout the day.

At four o'clock in the afternoon, after the judges had passed on the industrial exhibits and Mrs. Landrum had announced the prize winners, Prof. Scholl lectured at the High School Auditorium. He said that the first thing the farmer must consider in his business is the soil and he exhibited an experiment showing how the increase in the quantity of humus in the soil increases the holding capacity of the soil and the plowing under of all vegetable matter on the soil.

The next matter is the selection of seeds and he showed specimens of various seeds and explained how specimens of this kind can be mounted for exhibition, comparison and study, and the value of knowing good pure seed from the faulty and inferior. He also exhibited the seeds, and timber of some of our common trees and explained the value of study in the schools.

A subject of insects was touched briefly, but he explained that while insects are injurious to the farmer, there are many very useful friends among them and it is necessary to know the one from the other in order to harm the one while destroying the other. In order to know best to cope with the destructive kind necessary to study their life cycle and habits under their different stages of development. Chewing insects can usually be destroyed by a poison placed on the plant upon which they feed, but sucking insects are dealt with contact sprays, oil or nicotine. Mr. Scholl's talk on this subject were illustrated with numerous instructive charts and a large collection of insect specimens.

Scholl advised the planting of shade trees, told of their many uses as to how to prune trees and treat injured and diseased trees to prolong their lives and enhance the beauty and symmetry of what we already have.

Scholl's lecture and exhibit was a valuable lesson as well as interesting to those who heard it, and those who were unfortunate as to miss it lost a valuable feature of the entire program.

ATHLETICS.

By DR. J. H. FLETCHER.

On March 31, the Annual County and Track Meet, with basket ball, etc., was held at de Montel in Hondo, beginning at 9:30 a.m. and ending at 6:30 p.m.

The day was as though ordered for a contest between two lads, Crandall of Yancey and Fly of Hondo, Crandall being a little faster in the sprints but not in the Hondo lad's class as a jumper. Also the Yancey boy met his Waterloo when he attempted to pull off the two ends of the junior relay, Fly eating him up during the last relay after

having ten yards the worst of it.

SUMMARY—SENIORS.

50-yard dash—Ward, Yancey, 1st; Filleman, 2nd, Rothe, 3rd, Hondo, Time, 6 seconds.

80-yard run—Ward, Hondo, 1st; Ward, Yancey, 2nd; Gilliam, Hondo, 3rd, Time, 2:17.

Broad jump—Ward, Yancey, 1st; Carter, Hondo, 2nd; Hardt, Yancey, 3rd, 17 feet.

Shot-put—Neuman, Hondo, 1st; Hardt, Yancey, 2nd; Rothe, Hondo, 3rd, 34 feet, 5 inches.

120-yard hurdle—Hardt, Yancey, 1st; Filleman, Hondo, 2nd, Time, 17 seconds.

220-yard dash—Ward, Yancey, 1st; Woolls, Hondo, 2nd; Gilliam, Hondo, 3rd. No time taken.

High jump—Rothe, Hondo, 1st; Heyen, Vandenburg, 2nd; Carter, Hondo, 3rd, 4 feet, 9 inches. (Yancey had no entries.)

Discus—Carter, Hondo, 1st; Hardt, Yancey, 2nd; Woolls, Hondo, 3rd, 14 feet, 8 inches.

440-yard dash—G. Gilliam, Hondo, 1st; Howard, Zig Zag, 2nd; Howard, Yancey, 3rd, 55 seconds. (Weimers disqualified account age.)

880-yard relay—Hondo team: Rothe, Carter, Woolls, Gilliam, 1st; Yancey team: Howard, Hardt, Hardt, Ward, 2nd, Time, 1:37.

Hondo, 49 points; Yancey, 43 points; Vandenburg, 3 points; Zig Zag, 3 points.

JUNIORS.

50-yard dash—Crandall, Yancey, 1st; Fly, Hondo, 2nd. Others also ran but were so far behind that they are not out yet. No time taken.

Broad jump—Crandall, Yancey, 1st; Green, Hondo, 2nd. Distance, 16 feet. 100-yard dash—Crandall, Yancey, 1st; Fly, Hondo, 2nd; Filleman, Hondo, 3rd. No time taken.

High jump—Fly, Hondo, 1st; Crandall, Yancey, 2nd, 5 feet, 8 inches.

440-yard relay—Hondo 1st; Yancey 2nd. No time taken. This event was so exciting that the time-keeper went into a trance and hasn't fully recovered yet.

BASE BALL.

Devine, 4; Hondo, 5.

Hondo High met Devine High Field Day Game called at 3 p.m.; attendance, estimated, 4,000 (it seemed 10,000); anyway it was some crowd, and from the noise it would never have been suspected that, ordinarily, the largest majority of the people assembled were sober-minded, quiet individuals, for during this game, especially during the last half of the last inning, when Hondo through hits, errors and gifts, brought home enough tallies to win, the jays acted like they were daffy. Devine boys were entirely too confident, and when they made a few mistakes, Hondo took advantage of them and before Devine could pull together Hondo boys had slipped one by them.

Batteries, Devine, Robinson and Crawford; Hondo, Bradley and Horger. Umpire, Boog, of D'Hanis.

BASKET BALL—GIRLS.

Yancey, 8; Hondo, 9.

In one of the most exciting games of basket ball ever pulled off on the local grounds, the Hondo High School girls beat Yancey High by the above score.

This was the finish of a series of games, each team winning an even number, this being the odd.

Hondo scored first which seemed to take the pep out of the Yancey team, but having it on the Hondo team in natural skill, they came from behind and scored with ease. It was a seesaw game, first one then the other beginning in the lead.

The Hondo team was forced to play at top speed to win, and only their gameness and never-say-die spirit gained them a win. It was a great game, and Yancey girls, though defeated, need not feel bad about it as they played hard and skillful enough to win any ordinary game.

It is hard to tell who were the stars of this game. Every player played for all that was in them, and the spectators were highly pleased by the skillful playing and sportsmanship displayed by both teams.

BASKET BALL—BOYS.

Yancey 8; Hondo 6.

As a fitting climax to the grandest day of sport ever experienced by Hondo, the basket ball teams of Yancey and Hondo High (boys) met on the local grounds and in twenty-five minutes of play 1,500 spectators saw a real

game played by real players.

Out weighed, up against longer and better coaching, but scrapping like live wildcats, the Hondo team went down to defeat during the last ten seconds of play.

Like the girl's game, it is very hard to pick the stars of this game unless it be "Lengthy" Hardt for Yancey who, by his superior reach, out-played his team mates, and the aggressive work of Woolls and G. Gilliam, who time after time kept their team from disaster. "Ashcat" Gilliam proved his class by making all of Hondo's points.

This game was possibly the best event of a fine day of sport, and we would like to see the same teams play a series of games. Am sure they would draw big crowds.

DECLAMATIONS, DEBATE, ETC.

BY PROF. W. N. SAATHOFF.

Spelling—1st prize, Devine.

Junior Declamation—Girls—1st prize,

Clara Thompson, Devine, 2nd prize, Lois Crutchfield, Devine; 3rd prize, Ruth Windrow, Hondo.

Junior Declamation—Boys—1st prize, Hornburg, Devine; 2nd prize, Hardeman, Devine; 3rd prize, Newton, Hondo.

Senior Declamation—Girls—1st prize, Effie Rackley, Devine; 2nd prize, Myrtle Howard, Devine; 3rd prize, Gladys Newton, Hondo.

Senior Declamation—Boys—1st prize, A. J. Cook, Devine; 2nd prize, Stanley McAnelly, Yancey; 3rd prize, Stanley McAnelly, Yancey.

Debate—Winners, Alf. Thompson and Crawford.

Essays—1st prize, Abbie Mae Williams, Yancey; 2nd prize, Stanley McAnelly, Yancey.

GIRL'S HOME ECONOMIC CLUBS CONVENTION AND EXHIBIT.

BY MRS. J. L. LANDRUM.

The first Medina County Home Economic Clubs convention in Medina County was held here the 31st of March, in connection with the Interscholastic Athletic Meet.

The county club girls won many laurels for themselves upon this occasion, their first club exhibit, as the accompanying prize list will show.

Devine and Yancey also came in for exhibit space with the Home Economic clubs with a splendid showing of domestic arts.

The stage of the High School Auditorium was set apart for the exhibits, which were artistically displayed by being pinned to a canvas lining the walls of the stage, or placed effectively upon the floor. The Yancey exhibit occupied the center of the wall and elicited much admiration from the throng of visitors of the day. The basket weaving, and the dalli hammocks of the 2nd and 3rd grade were especially admired.

A runner of white muslin was stretched upon the stage floor near the footlights, and upon this was placed the exhibits of cakes, bread, candy, preserves and the beautiful prizes donated by generous citizens.

The Yancey Domestic Science Department also exhibited two model lunches representing a balanced menu, one for the boy and one for the girl. An accompanying chart, explained the food elements contained in each.

The plain sewing of the 6th and 7th grades of this school, showing blouses, aprons, and underwear was admired and complimented.

Devine Domestic Science department exhibited a beautiful line of artistic needle work and they had the satisfaction of winning a number of the lovely prizes provided.

Many of the County Home Economic clubs did not get their exhibits in as the weather was so threatening, those exhibiting, however, did credit to themselves and their work. In an address to the clubs at an assembly that night in the city auditorium, the district convention to be held in San Antonio April 28th and 29th was discussed. A good attendance from South and West Texas clubs is expected. The club girls were told of the splendid district convention held in Dallas in March, and promised that the San Antonio convention would be equally as delightful and profitable.

The following ladies acted as judges of the exhibits: Mesdames William Schmitt, Edward Cameron, P. Jungman, W. H. Windrow and F. Keller and announced the prize winners as follows:

1st prize, bread, Hazel Mofield, Yancey, box of soda water, donated by Oscar Miller, Hondo.

2nd prize, bread, Abbie Williams, Yancey, one years subscription to Holand Magazine, donated by Frank Hol-

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1st prize, plain sewing by hand, Olive Fay Wood, Yancey, perfume, donated by W. H. Windrow, Hondo.

2nd prize, plain sewing by hand, Eva Ward, Yancey, Easter basket, donated by Mrs. A. J. Hutzler, Hondo.

1st prize, plain sewing, machine, Abi Ward, Yancey, imported pin tray, donated by Holloway Brothers, Hondo.

1st prize, plain cake, Octavia Davis, pretty blouse, donated by Peyton Sample Suit Co., San Antonio.

2nd prize, plain cake, Mothe de Montel, one dozen handkerchiefs, donated by Hondo Mercantile Company.

1st prize, layer cake, Ruth Rothe, Hondo box of candy, donated by F. A. Heyen, Hondo.

1st prize, rolls, Clara Lutz, Hondo, box of soda water, donated by Oscar Miller, Hondo.

2nd prize, layer cake, Hulda Haby, Castrovile, box of candy, donated by Matt Rath, Hondo.

1st prize, canned fruit, Gussie Graff, Castrovile, box of fine powder donated by the Martin Drug Company, Hondo.

1st prize, candy, Bessie Brucks, Hondo, box of soda water, donated by Oscar Miller, Hondo.

1st prize, embroidered center piece, Hilda Tondre, Castrovile, 1-2 dozen fine photos, donated by Powell, San Antonio.

2nd prize, embroidered center piece, Dorothy Green, Hondo, box of handkerchiefs, donated by J. F. Dilworth, Hondo.

1st prize, embroidered undersuit, Unice Hester, Devine, hand-painted cake plate, donated by Mrs. J. L. Landrum, Austin.

1st prize, embroidered gown, Laura Ella Henson, Devine, 100 visiting cards, donated by Fletcher Davis, Hondo.

2nd prize, embroidered gown, Sherill Haliburton, Devine, pair of silk hose, donated by Earl Boon, Hondo.

1st prize, crochet gown yoke, Evelyn Lacy, Hondo, 1-2 dozen fine photos donated by Powell, San Antonio.

2nd prize, crochet gown yoke, Alice Tondre, Castrovile, box of candy, donated by A. J. Swearingen, Hondo.

1st prize, Hardanger center piece, Hulda Haby, Castrovile, box of candy, donated by Duerler Candy Factory, San Antonio.

1st prize, hand-painted sofa top, Nora Karrer, Hondo, leather writing tablet, donated by Alamo Trunk Factory, San Antonio.

2nd prize, hand-painted sofa top, (My commission expires Nov., 1916.)

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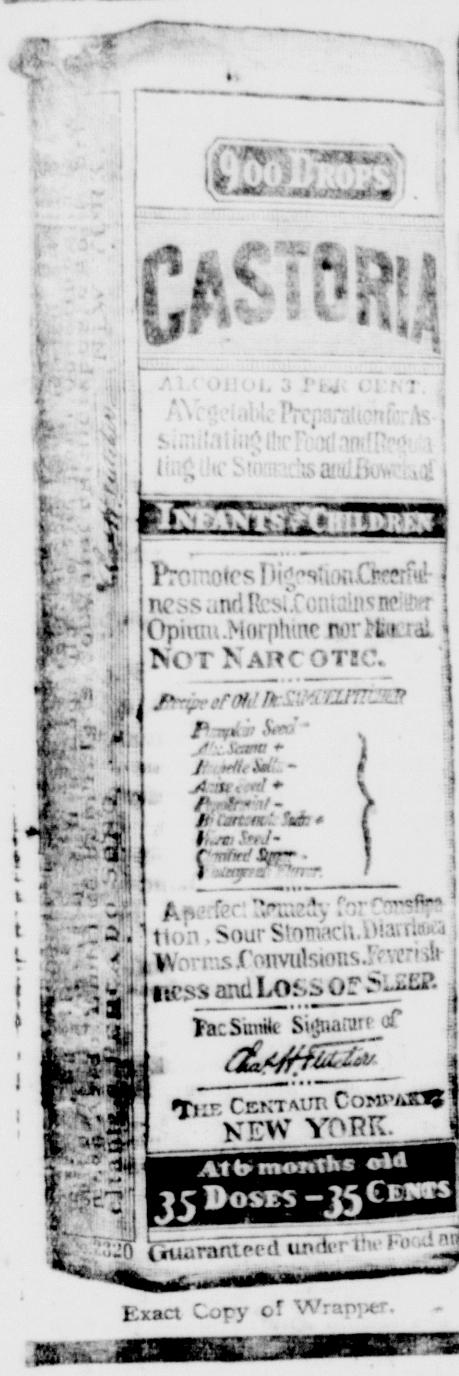
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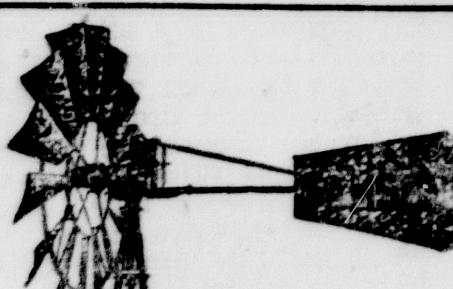
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Harness should be cleaned at least once and where it is used continuously, twice each year. It is a good plan to clean the farm harness immediately after the year's work is finished in the fall or winter. The harness which is kept well cleaned and oiled will wear a great deal longer and give less trouble than one that is not. Moreover, it is more comfortable to the horse.

In the first place the harness should be taken entirely apart and all the buckles and metal parts removed. The leather is then subjected to a thorough washing in rain water if possible, to which has been added a handful of good washing powder. Thirty minutes soaking will assist greatly in removing the dirt. After soaking, lay the straps out on a smooth board laid crosswise of the tub or vat and scrub with a stiff brush. After washing, hang the pieces up to dry, rub them with harness blacking which will prevent their turning red.

When completely dry, take a cloth and rub the harness until it takes on a polish and always rub the leather with the grain. After polishing apply, a day or two apart, two coats of neat's foot oil to which has been added a little kerosene and a small amount of lampblack.

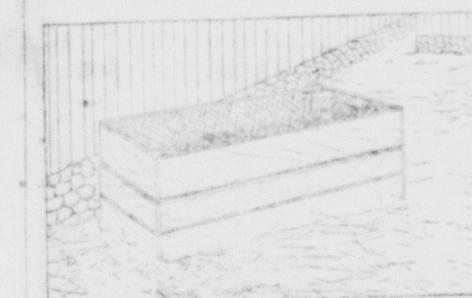
Leave the harness hang till dry, but do not put it in the sun or too close to artificial heat. Sponge it off with castile soap and water to prevent gumminess, fasten the pieces together and it is ready for use. Occasional sponging with soap throughout the year will keep it in good shape.

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Planting should not be done too early—not before the leaves will come off easily. They must in no case be left on the trees, even for an hour or two after digging, as they carry off moisture rapidly, and the trees would soon be wilted to a certain extent; and to strip off the leaves by hand before their office is completed is not a good plan. The planting may continue as long as the soil works well (not wet and sticky) and the ground not too hard.

INOCULATE LAND FOR CLOVER

Sow Seed Two or Three Years in Succession Until Vigorous Growth of Legume Has Been Secured.

Land can be inoculated for crimson clover, vetch and alfalfa or sweet clover by sowing the seed on it two or three years in succession. If this method is chosen, a small plot of a quarter-acre may be set aside and the crop planted each fall or spring until the vigorous growth of the legume and the nodules on the roots prove that the land is inoculated. Then dirt may be hauled from this and scattered over the other land to be inoculated.

Another way to get the farm inoculated is to sow just a little of the seed mentioned above with some other crop that is not cultivated and if that way get the inoculation distributed over the entire place.

However, the quicker and better plan is to get some dirt from a field that has grown the plant or get a commercial culture and inoculate the seed and make a success the first time.

Some Ferns a Pest. Two kinds of ferns have become serious weed pests in the United States—namely, the hay-scented fern and the bracken. It has been found that cutting off the tops close to the soil surface twice a year for two years will kill out nearly all of the ferns.

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By J. S. Cuttiss
Chairman Texas Economic League.

The business men of this country have been accused of being cowardly, indifferent and selfish in their relations to government, but the average business man has perhaps had less to do with shaping the political policies of the country than any other class of citizens, and therefore bears little responsibility for the present state of affairs can be laid at his door. The most serious charge that can be successfully lodged against him is that he accepts slavery in preference to sovereignty in his citizenship, and there is nothing so dreadful or so difficult to overcome as voluntary servitude. But as a whole he is to be pitied rather than condemned. He cannot tell whether he is honest by consulting his conscience. He must ask his lawyer. The right to think has been legislated out of him. Individuality has been torn from him by law. He is but a ghost of the citizen created by the Constitution of the United States. Not only have liberty and freedom become vague and uncertain terms subject to contradictory interpretations of those who hold office, but so complicated has the citizen's relation to government become that human rights is a floating substance moved by the current of legal opinion, and the remedy lies in a more active, patriotic and responsible citizenship.

The business men of this nation need the spirit shown by the business men of '76, when Robert Morris, the nation's wealthiest citizen opened his purse strings and said, "I will give all I have to my country except my integrity," when John Dickinson the wealthy farmer stepped forward and said, "It's my duty to leave liberty to my children, but not my duty to leave wealth to them," and Benjamin Franklin over 70 years of age when called by the Continental Congress said, "I am old and good for nothing, I am but the fog end, take me for what you please."

Men and Money Needed

I want men to join me in the work of the Texas Economic League in giving the famous of their lives and a part of their money to getting this country back to the individualism of Washington and the liberty of Jefferson. There are many of us in Texas who need to leave less money and more liberty to our children. I believe I make no mistake in saying that the general trend of business men of wealth in this country today is to reverse the statement of Morris, Dickinson and Franklin. The readiness with which some of our citizens plead guilty to business crimes, suggest the conclusion that they are willing to give their country their integrity if they can keep their money, and it seems to be universally conceded by most business men that it is their duty to leave wealth to their children, but not their duty to leave liberty to them.

I am not one of those who believe that the solution of this problem lies in business men making laws, holding offices and sitting upon juries, although it is a laudable thing to do, and a duty that no good citizen should shirk. This country could survive the ordeal if we did not pass another law for ten years, and it was never contemplated that the people should depend upon office holders to preserve their rights. The contest for liberty has always been between government and the citizens, and bad government is always the result of bad citizenship. Neither do I believe that the liberty and freedom of this country can be preserved by endowing foundations, universities, churches and libraries. Greece gave us the most polished and powerful products of the human race, and while the genius of her day was swaying the world, ignorant savages destroyed her government, and led her master minds captive to foreign countries—the result of bad citizenship. Palestine gave us the mightiest religious teachers in all civilization, and while the world was marveling over her faith and her miracles, infidels and heathens destroyed her Temple and threw her prophets in prison—the result of bad citizenship.

The pages of history abundantly prove that neither the fertility of the soil nor the business sagacity of the people are sufficient safeguards for the preservation of government. The Ptolemies of Ancient Egypt established a powerful dynasty in the most fertile valley on the globe, but it withered and died as a result of bad citizenship. The mighty Caesar established in the Roman Empire the world's greatest financial center and all nations and all men paid tribute to the money powers of Rome, but the nation crumbled and fell as a result of bad citizenship. Good citizenship can build an empire upon a desert of the most fertile country on the globe.

lv. San Antonio 10:30 a. m. and 9:30 p. m.
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Higher Prices Obtained for Milk and Cream—Fall Calves Come at Time When Dairymen Can Give Them Close Attention.

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For all such children we say with unmistakable earnestness: They need Scott's Emulsion, and need it now. It possesses in concentrated form the very food elements to enrich their blood. It changes weakness to strength; it makes them sturdy and strong. No alcohol.

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As a healing salve for burns, sore nipples and chapped hands Chamberlain's Salve is most excellent. It relieves the pain of a burn almost instantly, and unless the injury is very severe, heals the parts without leaving a scar. Price 25 cents. For sale by All Dealers.

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Mr. L. H. Farnham, a prominent druggist of Spirit Lake, Iowa, says: "Chamberlain's Tablets are certainly the best thing on the market for constipation." Give these tablets a trial. You are certain to find them agreeable and pleasant in effect. Price 25 cents. For sale by All Dealers.

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Easter candies and all kinds of confections at F. A. Heyen's.

Miss Bertha and Pearl Newton visited in San Antonio yesterday.

For sale—Heyo Heyen's place east part of town. Apply to Willie Heyen.

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D. W. Short attended the funeral of his uncle, Jesse H. Presnall, in San Antonio, Thursday.

Frank Westfall and Paul Weynand were among the Hondo visitors in San Antonio this week.

Don't forget just received a new lot of children's hats, ladies' hats and automobile caps. Mrs. Haralson.

Buy Red Seal Batteries—they are guaranteed good. Fresh supply just received. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Don't forget just received a new lot of children's hats, ladies' hats and automobile caps. Mrs. Haralson.

Let the City Tailor Shop clean and press your suit. Satisfaction guaranteed. Geo. Carle Jr., proprietor.

Mrs. Frank Bilhartz, after a visit to relatives and friends here, returned to her home in San Antonio Wednesday.

If you would be neatly and correctly dressed let Geo. Carle of The City Tailor Shop take your measure for a new suit.

Have your old furniture, such as chairs, tables, etc. repaired by Edwin F. Bendele. All work guaranteed satisfactory. 32-4t

You can find John Horger at McClaugherty & Horger's old stable stand, where he will be pleased to do all your auto repair work. 24-tf

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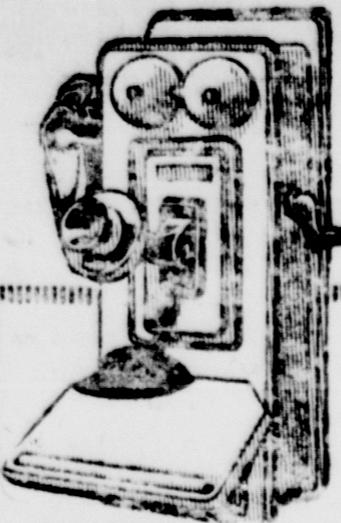
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reitzer were here from Dunlay Monday trading.

Mrs. E. W. Lacy and daughter, Miss Florence, visited San Antonio yesterday.

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Sunday School Institute.

A Sunday School Institute was held at the Methodist Church Tuesday and Wednesday, April 4th and 5th.

The meeting opened Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. S. B. Johnston, presiding elder, conducting the devotional services. Rev. E. Hightower, General Sunday Missionary, and Rev. A. E. Rector, Sunday School Missionary for West Texas Conference, were with us and gave several lectures that were very interesting and instructive.

A report from the Sunday Schools represented was called for in regard to their conformity with the Standard of efficiency and it was found from the reports that the Sunday Schools of the district are doing good work. Rev. Hightower discussed "How to increase our Sunday School attendance," after which followed a general discussion in which those present told of their troubles in getting good and regular attendance and how they overcome them.

J. G. Newton was appointed Secretary and roll was called and a list of the delegates present was recorded after which the morning session was closed with prayer by Mr. J. C. Newton of Yancey.

The afternoon session was opened at 2:30 with a devotional service after which a talk was given by Rev. Hightower on "How to get the Bible in the Sunday Schools and how to keep it there." Great stress was put on the using of the Bible in the Sunday Schools and the importance of scholars having Bibles and being taught how to use them. Class organization was then discussed by Rev. W. G. Callahan of Moore, Rev. Huil of Utopia, and Mesdames Evans and Martin of Uvalde.

General interesting talks were made to the school children after school hours.

The night session opened at 7:30 o'clock with devotional services by Rev. Neal of Lytle.

Rev. Hightower and Rev. Rector gave lectures on "How to get and train S. S. teachers and How the teacher should teach the lesson and win the class for Christ."

Second day session was opened with a devotional service by Rev. A. T. Cocke of Lytle.

Messenger Cadets, Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls were discussed by Rev. Rector. A very interesting number on the Epworth League was given by Rev. S. Hull. Mrs. Dr. Myrick made a fine talk on What Sunday Schools can do for the social life of the community. Mr. Getzenauer of Uvalde made a talk on "How to hold the larger boys in Sunday School and how to win them for Christ," that was very interesting, indeed.

Rev. Buck of Sabinal gave a practical demonstration of how to hold a workers' council.

Resolutions of thanks to the people of Hondo for their hospitable entertainment of the delegates were read and adopted, after which the meeting closed with prayer by Rev. Neal.

The visitors present were: Rev. Buck, W. W. Isom, Miss Ruth Kennedy, Miss Lois Buck, from Sabinal, Mr. Frank Hoog, Knappa, Rev. A. T. Cook, Rev. Neal and W. C. Randle from Uvalde, Rev. S. B. Johnston, Mesdames Evans, Martin, Hardt, Gibson, Boring and Myrick and Mr. Getzenauer of Uvalde, Rev. and Mrs. E. Hightower, Rev. E. Hightower, Rev. Dr. A. E. Rector San Antonio, Rev. W. G. Callahan, Moore, Rev. W.

W. Nunn, Crystal City, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Nixon, Misses Garrison, Barton and Newton of Yancey, and Rev. Hensch of New Fawn.

Castroville Takes A Prominent Part in the Interscholastic Meet.

Prof. E. G. Morris and Miss Alice Tondre of Castroville must be credited with doing their part in helping along the Interscholastic Meet. The Castroville Public School was out in full force. Contestants were entered for both the Junior and Senior Declamations; the Domestic Science Club had a number of excellent exhibits and carried off seven prizes; and in spite of the threatening weather a considerable number of Castroville people came to Hondo in their cars to enjoy the event. If every School in the County had done as well in proportion to its size the Meet would have been much more beneficial to them.

Junior B. Y. B. U.

Sunday, April 9th.
Leader—Ruth Rothe.
Song.
Prayer.
Subject: Some Appearance of the Risen Jesus.
Song—No. 17.
Scripture reading, Cor. 15, 1-9, by President.

Study Story—by Leader.
Appearances mentioned in quarterly.
To Mary—Hettie Fusselman.
To the other women—Glee Fusselman.
To Peter—Charles Wilson.
To the Assembly in Galilee—George Windrow.
Benediction.

Spring Review and Normal Course April 24th to June 1st. Devine, Texas.

A review course is offered for all who desire to take the June examination for a teacher's certificate. This course is altogether independent of the public school and covers all the work for State first and second grade certificates.

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For County Commissioner

We are authorized to announce ALBERT L. NEUMAN as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For County Commissioner

We are authorized to announce JOHN B. MEE as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, at the November election.

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A. T. Beal and daughter, Miss Linnie, returned Saturday from a visit to points east.



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Oil People Getting Busy.

A deal was closed last week in
which J. Steinhardt acquired the in
terest of Jack Bilhartz in the Odom
Oil Well and leases about ten miles
South west of Hondo. This is the
well in which they have been getting
a good deal of oil at a shallow depth.
The company is now at work on their
second well and if this shows good it
is their intention to carry on more ex
tensive development.

It is not known just what the price
is that Mr. Steinhardt paid for his in
terest in this company, but it is known
that he was offered a profit on his investment
the day he received his investment.

HONDO OIL & GAS CO. GETTING BUSY.

The Hondo Oil & Gas Co. completed
their derrick last week. Mr. Lynn
left the same day to make arrangements
to load the rig and ship it in.

Word has been received that practi
cally all arrangements have been

made and it is expected that the rig

will arrive one day this coming week.
Just as soon as it arrives it will be

unloaded and carried to the new loca
tion and work will begin at once on

this new well. It is a big job to move

a rig of this size as the total weight

of the outfit is about 75,000 pounds.

The big oil companies have begun to

get busy in this section of the coun
try. Last week a representative of

one of the largest producing companies

in the United States was in Hondo

looking over the situation and before

he left he had maps and plates made of

the sections of the county in which oil

development is now being carried on.

This fact alone is very encouraging as

we know these big companies do not

fool away any time or money only

where they think there are good pros
pects for oil.

As a whole everything is looking

very favorable at present for the

rapid development of the oil resources

of this community. Both the compa
nies operating here at present, that is

the Hondo Oil & Gas Co. and the com
pany drilling on the Odom land, are

very much encouraged over their
prospects, and both companies seem
to be confident they are going to get
oil.

Mrs. Hildegard Haass.

Mrs. Hildegard Haass, aged 60
years, widow of the late Philip Haass
Sr., died at 5:30 o'clock Saturday
afternoon, March 25, 1916, in her
home, 1212 S. Laredo Street, San Antonio.
She was born in Germany, had resided in Texas fifty years.

Deceased had been living on the
Francisco, this county, until about ten
years ago, when she moved to San
Antonio. Surviving relatives include:

Three sons, R. L. Haass of Biri, C.
F. Haass of Langtry, and A. F.
Haass of Hondo; eight daughters,
Mrs. Wm. Weber of Marfa, Mrs. Rud.
Posch of Biri, Mrs. J. F. Newsome of
Mojave, Cal., Mrs. Ad. Eichhorn of
Biri, Mrs. R. G. Zinsmeister, Misses
Julia and Amanda Haass of San Antonio,
and one brother, Henry Heiling.

The funeral took place on Monday
morning after a Mass of Requiem at
St. Joseph's Catholic church. Inter
ment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

We extend to the bereaved ones our
heartfelt sympathies. — Castroville
Quill.

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Motor with Increased Power.
This is a Liquid that you mix
with the Gasoline. For further
particulars, see

V. A. CROW

AGENT

"Old Maids' Club."

Main Characters of "The Old Maids
Club" to be given at the auditorium
Friday, April 14th.

Luelle Matilda Primrose, President
of Club..... Maggie Cameron

Susan Jane Hopewell, Vice-President
..... Glee Fusselman

Maria Hopewell, Treasurer
..... Bessie Brucks

Sally Brown, Secretary and gumdrop
distributor..... Goldie Hurt

Tommy Doolittle, Assistant Treasurer
..... J. E. Willingham

Philip Andrew James, reporter with
magie berries..... Louis Carter

Dora Doolittle, Tommy's sister..... Belle Hancock

Betsy Bobbinet, Candidate..... Eulah Cameron

Maud Hopeworth, with the "Janice
Meredith" curls..... Miss Sharp

All others have interesting and im
portant parts. Come and see for
yourself. Prices 25 and 35 cents.

Entertain Athletes.

After the track and field events Mr.
and Mrs. Frank Cockrell entertained
the boy and girl athletes, coaches
and officials with an elaborate buffet
luncheon. It was a regular get-to
gether affair, where the boys and girls
of Devine, Yancey and Hondo met
with great socialibility, all hoping that
the work just begun in this county
will be continued and that Hondo hold
another bigger and better meet next
year. The bitterness of defeat and
the joy of winning were forgotten in
this little gathering. It was fitting
finish for one of the most successful
athletic meets the writer ever wit
nessed. All voted the Cockrells real
honest to goodness hosts.

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To Milk Users.

I wish to announce that I have not
raised the price of milk, as I ad
vertised last week. Buy your milk from
me at the same price.

W. C. BEAL.

Few More Locals.

Messrs. Jno. T. Briscoe and G. C.
Morris, prominent attorneys of De
vine, were attending county court here
this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Haass and little
son returned Saturday from San An
tonio where they had been to attend
the funeral of Mr. Haass' mother.

A. G. Oefinger returned Thursday
from a visit to Poteet. He was ac
companied home by Mrs. Emil Faseler,
who will visit relatives in this section.

Come and see Belle Hancock and
Victor Neuman star "From Pumpkin
Ridge" as Belinda Hopkins and
Jonathan Scruggs, respectively,
Friday, April 14th.

The Parents', Teachers' and Friends'
Club will meet Monday afternoon at 4
o'clock at the school building. They
will elect new officers. Every member
is urged to be present.

Mrs. Chas. Hoover, who has been in
San Antonio for several weeks for
medical attention, has returned home.
We are sorry to report that Mrs.
Hoover is still very sick.

Come and see "The Old Maids'
Club" given by eighteen members of
the Girls Home Economics Club, and
"From Pumpkin Ridge" by tenth
grade at the Auditorium Friday,
April 14th. Prices 25 and 35 cents.

Callahan & Stiegler this week ac
quired the fixtures of the South Side
Saloon from Fritz Wohlschlegel, and
opened the place for business today.
Mr. Wohlschlegel purposes leaving for
Bisbee, Arizona, about the 15th to
make arrangements to move his family
there where they will make their fu
ture home.

To be given at the Auditorium Fri
day, April 14th, two plays: "From
Pumpkin Ridge" by tenth grade, and
"The Old Maids' Club" by members
of the Girls Home Economics Club for
the benefit of the Economics Club.
Help a good cause. All who do not
wish to laugh stay away. Curtain
rises at 8:30. Prices 25 and 35 cents.

Wiley Foster and Albert Morris had
a narrow escape from drowning Sat
urday evening in Live Oak slough re
turning from the Hondo school meet.
They lost one of their buggy horses
by drowning and Foster who could
swim but little made a narrow escape.
The buggy was taken out Sunday
evening. The stream was narrow and
swift, the boys unused to water, and
barely able to swim, had a thrilling
experience and a narrow escape.—
Devine News.

Program Junior League.

Sunday, April 9th, 3 p. m.;
Leader—Eva Long.
Bible reading, Luke 15, 1-10 verses.
Song, "More About Jesus."

Prayer.
1st Psalm by League.
Bible Story—Roberts Hudspeth.
Bible drill, by League.

Japanese children—Emma Short.
Violin Solo—Irene Saathoff.
Catechism lesson, chapters 16 and
17.

Reading from the Mission Study.
Song—"Yield Not to Temptation."
Benediction.
Answer roll call with Bible verse.
Bring Bibles to League.

"L. C. D's."

On Saturday, March 25th, the L. C.
D. girls met at the home of Willie
Mae Gaines. Several interesting
games of "42" and others were played.
Willie Mae served delicious punch
and cake after which other interesting
games were played. The Club ad
journed wishing soon to meet with
Willie Mae again.

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We believe we
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COME IN AND LOOK THEM OVER

W. H. WINDROW
The Nyal Quality Store

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Weekly News Letter.

Issued by the State Department of Agriculture for the week ending March 25, 1916:

LIMESTONE COUNTY.

Nearly ninety per cent. of the land of the county has been planted to general crops—much better than was thought possible under former conditions. All wheat and oats not killed by freeze is in poor condition the drouth. Very little of s grown at all for the last 30 days.

STON—The land is in a very condition for cotton because most of it has been broken the rain of last week. This from one-third to one-half ad was enough to bring up in where the seed planted und. Was not sufficient the clods for cotton.

WALLER.

general thing land is in a dition. Very little corn planted up to the pres- and very little more en. Most of the oats weak and rain is very ded. Peanuts will be elied upon this year.

KAUFMAN

ght we had a good rain stion and things look ht this morning; all say that the rain to mellow up the prout corn and to up nicely. This est that the cotton kept down some.

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BOOKS DARK

to any weak or ailing woman. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription comes to her help. For "female complaints," pains, internal inflammation or ulceration, bearing-down sensations, and all chronic weaknesses and derangements this is the proven remedy. It's the only one that can be guaranteed to benefit or of every tired and

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county was not materially increased over last year and the crop is suffering from drought. It has withstood the dry weather remarkably well, however, and there is still time for a rain to save them. Corn is not doing well and some will have to be replanted. Cotton is not grown extensively here but the acreage will be slightly increased over last year. Goats are raised extensively here, have come through the winter well and are shearing out a good clip of mohair, but the range is in poor condition from being overstocked. The high price of wool is causing a great many farmers to engage in sheep raising on a small scale in this county. Very little attention is paid to the growing of garden products in this section. Later reports indicate good prospects of rain.

UVALDE, ZAVALA, DIMMIT AND LA SALLE

It is extremely dry in this section; no rain to bring up the grass and the cattle are suffering. Onions are in a fairly good condition at Crystal City, Asherton and Cotulla. The acreage is increased at Crystal City and Asherton, but the yield will not be as much per acre as last season. Some damage by thrip and the wells are failing and it is thought now that the yield will be less than any estimate yet made.

CARRIZO SPRINGS has a good crop of strawberries moving at good prices. The acreage has been increased and the shipments will be larger than last year. They also have 100 acres in tomatoes at Carrizo Springs which are looking well. Onions are being shipped from Laredo and Asherton. First cars are bringing good prices.

TAYLOR

The material change in conditions in this county since last week in that we have a fairly good rain—from 1-3 to 1-2 inch—that has greatly encouraged

the people of this county. The oat crop has about all died, but the farmers are able now to break their ground to begin planting the spring crops at once. Prospects are better.

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The crop prospects in this county are about the same as last report. The continued drought has almost ruined the small oat crop and has hindered the corn planting. The farmers are well up with their work—in fact they cannot do much more until they get rain. There will be a large acreage of sweet

potatoes and peanuts planted in this county. A good acreage of

peanuts will be planted.

THE LATEST ON COTTON

As early in 1915 as a reasonable estimate of the probable cotton output could be made, this Department estimated that it would very little, if any, exceed 3,000,000 bales. The last report of the Bureau of Census of the United States Department of Commerce announces the number of bales ginned in Texas, up to March 20, at 3,065,987.

Fletcher Davis Makes Fine Talk.

Honorable Fletcher Davis of Hondo, Texas, who represents the State Department of Agriculture, made a highly interesting talk to the farmers and business men of this section, Saturday night at Brown's Inn. The speaker was introduced by County Judge Sam O'Bryan, and at once took up the discussion of the values of farmers organizations.

Mr. Davis has been connected with this department for considerable time and enjoys the distinction of being one of the ablest men engaged in this work, and as such, has to his credit some of the finest Institutes in the entire state. As pointed out by him, there is no question about the advantages accruing from such organizations, for in order to solve the marketing and other questions confronting the farmer of today, there must be co-operation, and that of the closest nature. Then, too, when one considers that in order to farm well one must farm intelligently and profitably, one is bound to concede that the local organizations are highly beneficial, for every question relative to the production and final disposition of all farm produce is dealt with and a solution of the most perplexing situations offered.

He has made a complete canvass of the entire county and addressed hundreds of our farmers, as well as having spent considerable time with the school children of every section. Give us more Field Agents like Davis.—

Watch Child's Cough.

Colds, running of nose, continued irritation of the mucous membrane if neglected may mean Catarrh later. Don't take the chances—do something for your child! Children will not take every medicine, but they will take Dr. King's New Discovery and without bribing or teasing. It's a sweet pleasant Tar Syrup and so effective. Just laxative enough to eliminate the waste poisons. Almost the first dose helps. Always prepared, no mixing or fussing. Just ask your druggist for Dr. King's New Discovery. It will safe-guard your child against serious ailments resulting from colds.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Miss Vera Jones spent Sunday with her parents in Hondo.

Mr. W. A. Tampke of Utopia was in Sabinal Saturday and went to San Antonio on the evening train. Mr. Tampke had the misfortune to lose his barn and contents by fire recently. His son, Mr. George Tampke, came down to Sabinal with him.

We learn that Mr. Geo. Johnson, Jr. was operated on for appendicitis in San Antonio Wednesday. His mother, Mrs. C. B. Johnson, and brother, Mr. Charles Johnson, were with him. At last report he was not doing so well.

The Aches of House Cleaning.

The pain and soreness caused by bruises, over-exertion and straining during house cleaning time are soothed away by Sloan's Liniment. No need to suffer this agony. Just apply Sloan's Liniment to the sore spots, rub only a little. In a short time the pain leaves, you rest comfortably and enjoy refreshing sleep. One grateful user writes: "Sloan's Liniment is worth its weight in gold." Keep a bottle on hand, use it against all soreness, Neuralgia and Bruises. Kills pain. 25c. at your Druggist.

Pipe Creek Farmers Organize.

Pipe Creek, Tex., March 31.—Fletcher Davis, field agent of the State Department of Agriculture, spoke here last night and organized a farmers' institute. H. A. Dorow, president; D. W. Buck, vice-president; Joe Villeman, secretary, and Bernard Buck, entomologist, were the officers elected. Forty members enrolled.—San Antonio Express.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } as.

Lucas County, }
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FRANK J. CHENEY
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. (Seal)

A. W. GLEASON,
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Get the idea of smoking all you want without a comeback—that's P. A.!

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO., Winston-Salem, N. C.



On the reverse side of this old and the ever-villainous "Prince Albert, July 20th, 1867," which has not been made since the pack was made before.

Name Your Farm!

Occasionally we get a letter from a farmer on stationery on which is printed his own name and the name of his farm. In some cases we find on the margin, briefly stated, what is being made a specialty of on that farm.

This looks like business, and demands attention at once, for it catches the eye.

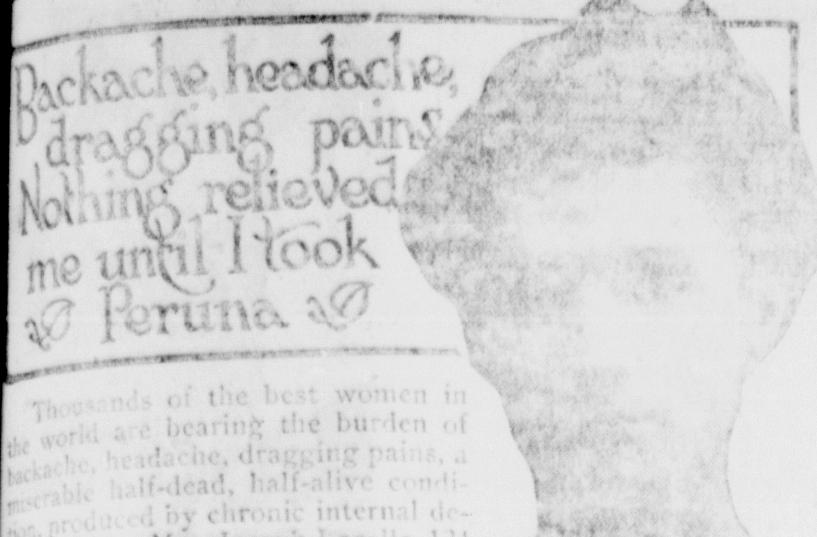
The editor of your county paper always stands in need of a bushel of potatoes, a sack of water-ground meal, or some such farm product, and would be glad to swap you some nice printed envelopes and paper to match for these things.

It would pay you to do some trading with this man, who is doing a lot in his way to help you, so next time you are in town talk it over with him. Before giving the order talk it over with the wife and family, and decide on an appropriate, catchy name for your farm and then—live up to it.—President Charles S. Barrett in National Field.

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Thousands of the best women in the world are bearing the burden of backache, headache, dragging pains, a miserable half-dead, half-alive condition, produced by chronic internal derangements. Mrs. Joseph Lacelle, 124 Glenora Ave., Ottawa East, Ontario, Canada, is one of the fair women of America who has had her experience with this sort of a burden. Her experience is similar to the multitude of other women whose letters are recorded in the "Ills of Life." A copy of this free booklet ought to be in the hands of every housewife in the United States. Read what Mrs. Lacelle says:

"I suffered with backache, headache and dragging pains for over nine months, and nothing relieved me until I took Peruna. This medicine is by far better than any other medicine for these troubles. A few bottles relieved me of my miserable half-dead, half-alive condition. I am now in good health, have neither ache nor pain, nor have I had any for the past year. If every suffering woman would take Peruna, they would soon know its value and never be without it."

CASTROVILLE ANVIL SPARKS

This Department is in charge of our Agent for Castroville.

ED. H. HUEHNER, Editor
who is authorized to collect and receipt for
subscribers to this paper and to whom items
marked for this page should be submitted

At last the long drought was broken by a two-inch rain which fell Friday night to the delight of the farmers and stockmen.

Mr. Louis F. Wurzbach of Rio Hondo informed us Sunday that he had been up to the Big Dam where he met Prof. Peacock, of the Military School of San Antonio, and his pupils of which Charles, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wurzbach is one. They are on an eight-day outing. Mr. Wurzbach also tells us that his son-in-law, Mr. Lee Schuchart, has just completed a neat and commodious residence at San Antonio and the young couple are getting ready to move to their future home. We join in wishing them all possible success.

Emil Kreisler and family moved to San Antonio the past week where they will in future reside. Success to them.

F. G. Muennink and mother of Hondo were Castroville visitors the first of the week.

Ed Ehlinger of Devine neighborhood mingled with his friends here for several days of the past week.

G. B. Noonan, A. A. Christilles, Frmr Huesser and A. Schneider were San Antonio business visitors the middle of the week.

Ed Pfeifferling of San Antonio was here for several days buying up horses and mules.

A number from here and vicinity assembled at the Noonan Ranch both Saturday and Sunday and enjoyed a fine barbecue and many other goodies, and of course plenty of refreshments.

Miss Lenora Jagge is reported seriously ill.

Mrs. Josephine Naegelin and daughter, Mrs. Chas. Sues Jr., visited relatives at Bader Settlement this week.

Miss Hilda Haby, Miss Gussie Goff and Miss Bena Ahr, Mr. William Burrell and Miss Bandie were Hondo visitors Friday.

Mrs. William Schmitt of San Antonio is here by the bedside of her sister, Miss Nora Jagge, who is quite sick.

Mrs. Ed Poerner and children are visiting here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Haby Sr. and son, Ambrose, of Rio Medina were shopping here the middle of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Groff and baby of Dunlay visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kempf Sunday.

Eug. Belzung of Cliff was shopping here Monday.

Emil G. Haby and daughter, Miss Lenora, of Cliff visited here the first of the week.

Mrs. Edmund Haby of Dunlay and Mr. Louis Moehring of Bader Settlement were visitors here Monday.

Miss Lenora Conrad visited relatives in Hondo this week.

Mrs. Frank Tondre Jr. and Mrs. Paul Tondre were shopping here Monday.

Frank Biedeger and family visited here Sunday.

Prof. and Mrs. Morris and children and Miss Alice Tondre were Hondo visitors Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Nick Tschirhart of Noonan visited relatives here this week.

Otto Wurzbach was down from Cliff Monday.

Mesdames Joe Tschirhart Jr. and Albert Tschirhart and children of Noonan were shopping here Monday.

Chas. de Montel and Miss Mollie de Montel visited Hondo this week.

Castroville, April 3, 1916.

INFORMATION.

Parties wishing to ship bees from one quarantined county to another should apply for certificate to the county inspector of the county from which the bees are to be shipped.

Parties wishing to ship bees into quarantined counties, from counties not quarantined, should apply for certificate to the county inspector of the county from which the bees are to be shipped.

Parties desiring to ship bees into quarantined counties, from counties not quarantined, should apply direct to the State Entomologist, College Station, Texas, for certificate or for permit to ship subject to inspection of the bees on their arrival at destination.

Under no circumstances will permit be given to ship, sell or move diseased bees anywhere within the State of Texas.

All certificates for movement of bees will be limited to thirty days following the date of inspection, but extensions of time on such certificates, in cases of emergency, may be secured on written application to the State Entomologist, approved by the county inspector.

F. B. PADDOCK,
State Entomologist,
Texas Experiment Station, College
Station, Texas.

COUNTY APIARY INSPECTORS.

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For Bell County—R. E. Watson, Heidenheimer, Texas.

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Lacoste Ledger News.

Edmund Jungmann from Spindletop was operated on in San Antonio Sunday and returned home Monday evening.

Henry Mangold went out on his ranch at Noonan to see after his stock there Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kempf and Mrs. Katie Kempf of Devine were here on pleasure Monday.

Mrs. Henry Biediger of Idlewild gave a Quilting Bee to her friends last Thursday.

Deputy Sheriff Ed Tschirhart of Castroville was seen on our streets the later part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Salzmann and family and Miss Lillie Mann from Noonan were visiting relatives and friends here several days last week.

Adolph Zinsmeyer is sporting a brand new Ford car since last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Inken of Noonan were business visitors here Saturday.

Mike Franger and son, Henry, from Idlewild were seen on our streets Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Heath and children from Biri were visiting a few days with Conrad Loessberg and family.

Henry Reus and Wm. Geiger hauled some 800 feet of 6 inch well casing to the J. D. Reus Estate to use in their Irrigation Plant to convey the water to the highest point on the ditch.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bader and Miss Theresa Keller and Louis Keller and

son, Ed, from Devine were visiting Edmund Keller and wife Saturday. They spent Sunday with Andrew Keller and wife at Spindletop.

Mrs. Henry Kempf and daughter, Alvina, of Noonan were visiting John Kempf and wife Thursday afternoon. Messrs. Henry Mann, D. F. Landrum, W. W. Lee and son, William, from Pearlsall were here on business Wednesday.

The KITCHEN CABINET

May not the complaint that common people are above their station often take its rise in the fact of uncommon people being below theirs?—Dickens.

GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.

This is a combination which is uncommon but will be found most appetizing:

Escalloped Corn and Oysters.—This is a good dish to use with a few oysters for additional flavor. A pint or less may be used. Drain the liquor from a can or pint of oysters and mix with a can of corn. Place a layer in a buttered dish, then sprinkle with crumbs and also another layer of corn and oysters, finish with buttered crumbs and pour over rich milk to come to the top. Bake until thoroughly scalped. The oysters will be tough if overcooked.

Unusual Baked Beans.—Soak a quart of navy beans overnight, then parboil them until the skins roll, drain and add fresh cold water, a half cupful each of brown sugar and vinegar, a tablespoonful each of mustard and salt and a pint of tomatoes and a half-pound of salt pork. Bake all day.

Marshmallow Dessert.—Dissolve a heaping tablespoonful of gelatin in a half cupful of hot water, add a half cupful of cold water. Beat the whites of four eggs stiff, add 1 1/2 cupfuls of sugar, then pour in the gelatin mixture and beat until it is quite stiff. Color and put nuts in a third of it, then grease a mold with a little butter, put in a layer of white and a layer of colored, then set away to harden. Cut in slices and serve with whipped cream.

Homemade Mustard.—Beat three tablespoonsfuls of mustard with a tablespoonful of sugar and one egg; when smooth add a cupful of vinegar and cook for three or four minutes. When cold add a teaspoonful of olive oil or melted butter.

Date-Nut Torte.—Beat two eggs, broken into a mixing bowl, and add a cupful of granulated sugar; beat until well creamed. Add a cupful of seeded dates, cut in small pieces, and a cupful of nut meats chopped. A third of a cupful of flour, sifted with a teaspoonful of baking powder, a little salt; then pour into a well-floured baking pan. Bake half an hour, then sprinkle with lemon juice and set aside to cool. Serve cold with whipped cream.

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"I am 52 years old and I have been troubled with kidneys and bladder for a good many years," writes Arthur Jones, Allen, Kans. "My age is against me to ever get cured, but Foley Kidney Pills do me more good than anything I ever tried." Rheumatism, aching back, shooting pains, stiff joints, irregular action, all have been relieved. Louis Carle, D'Hanis; W. H. Windrow, Hondo.

Man is referred to as a bear probably because he is so wild and woolly.

Taken With Croup.

"A few nights ago one of my patrons had a child taken with croup," writes M. T. Davis, merchant, Bearsville, W. Va. "About midnight he came to my store and bought a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Before morning the child was entirely recovered." Many such letters have been written. Louis Carle, D'Hanis; W. H. Windrow, Hondo.

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poetry is because he get

his mule.

Californian Had Kidney Trouble

Jack Maltos, Copperopolis, Calif., says: "I had such a severe case of kidney trouble I thought I would have to sell out my business. I took three bottles of Foley's Kidney Pill which entirely relieved me and I have had no recurrence of kidney trouble since then."

Some days it seems as if you can

no longer bear the pain and misery

you suffer from kidney and bladder trouble. The echo across your back grows worse with every night you make and every step you take. It just seems to rob you of all strength and energy. Your head aches, you are nervous and worn out, sleep poorly and have no appetite, stomach is upset and bowels irregular.

Take Foley Pill, lessen the pain,

and it is finally gone entirely. They give strength and tone to the kidneys—make them strong, active, their action becomes regular and normal again, and your health grows better each day you take this great healing medicine.

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Schmidt-Steiger.

Married, in San Antonio, Texas, April 3, 1916, Mr. Ira Schmidt of Hondo, and Miss Ethel Steiger of Dallas.

While it had been surmised for some time past that Ira was contemplating joining the ranks of the bachelors, he nevertheless kept his secret so well that few if any outside of his immediate family knew of the date set for the happy event, and his marriage came as somewhat of a surprise to his friends.

The groom was born and raised in the vicinity of Hondo and has a host of friends who will rejoice with him in winning so fair a companion for life's journey.

The bride, whose former home was in Dallas where Mr. Schmidt met her more than a year ago, while unknown to our people, will receive a warm, generous welcome to their midst that will compensate her for the sacrifice she made in marrying the man of her choice and casting her lot with them.

After a brief honeymoon spent in San Antonio Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt arrived in Hondo Thursday and yesterday evening went to the Schmidt ranch, down on the Hondo, where they will make their home.

To the happy young couple the Anvil Herald, in connection with a host of other friends, extend felicitations and trust that their fondest hopes of a long,

happy and prosperous married life may be more than realized.

Carlin-Griffith.

News was received in Hondo this week of the marriage of Mr. Wm. Carlin and Miss Alice Griffith, the wedding occurring at Houston last Saturday.

This marriage came as a complete surprise to the relatives and friends of the bride here, who had no knowledge of her intention to marry.

The bride has spent a good deal of time here, making her home here for years, and after removing from here has returned frequently on visits to her sister, Mrs. J. T. Smith, and family, and her brothers, C. M. and Tom Griffith, and families. She has quite a large circle of friends here who extend congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Carlin, and trust their union may prove a happy and prosperous one.

Mr. Carlin has a lucrative position with one of the electric companies of Houston, where he and his bride will make their home.

Jacks For Sale.

For sale two Jacks, one 3 and the other 2 years old. Also one Jennett, six years old, with colt.

JOHN INKEN,
Lacoste, Texas.

The Rain.

One of the heaviest rains that has visited this section in years fell here last Friday night, beginning about 8:30 and continuing practically throughout the night. The precipitation in Hondo amounted 4.70 inches. All the streams were set boozing, tanks were filled and the problem of stock water solved for a considerable time. But while for miles around Hondo the precipitation was very heavy, the rain was not general and it is reported that the south and southeast portions of the county failed to get enough moisture to be of any practical benefit. The rain will prove of immense benefit to all the sections visited, both to the range and to the farmers, who will now be able to finish planting.

HENS BEAR FRUIT

Healthy hens are great profit bearers. Use Ross' "Dead Quick" Spray about your poultry. It is the "just-right" chicken disinfectant and insecticide. It keeps them free of mites, lice, and destroys germs that cause roup, cholera, etc.

Sold in Hondo by W. H. Winklow.

County Court.

The county court convened Monday morning, the usual officers being present, and disposed of the following business:

State vs. Joo Ybarra, unlawfully carrying a dagger. Guilty and punishment assessed at confinement in the county jail for 60 days and costs of court.

State vs. Jake Johnson, theft under \$50. Not guilty.

State vs. Seraldo Sandoval, using abusive language. Not guilty.

State vs. J. E. Amor, theft under \$50. Not guilty.

State vs. Willie Heyen, obstructing public road. Appeal from justice's court. Guilty and fined \$10 and costs of court.

The following gentlemen, who acted as jurors for the term, were discharged Wednesday: J. W. Howard, C. C. Godden, J. R. Dubose, J. E. Neuman, C. R. Gaines, D. H. Mann, Pete F. Saathoff, R. J. Killough, Wm. Bohl, John Biry.

The court was still in session yesterday considering probate matters.

Water Works Notice.

Water for yard is extra. For gardens or irrigation not allowed. Watering yard after night strictly forbidden.

Change In School Board.

The election of trustees of the Hondo Independent School District was allowed to go by default last Saturday on account of lack of interest. By virtue of their oath of office the retiring members of the Board retain their positions, no successors having been elected.

Owing to his duties as an employee of the State Department of Agriculture taking him away so much as to render it impossible for him to give the duties of the position of trustee the attention he thinks the interests of the school deserve and demand and having served until the end of his elective term, Fletcher Davis, President of the Board, tendered his resignation as a member of the Board.

The same was accepted and the Board at once elected Mr. E. R. Leinweber, President of the Hondo State Bank, to the place thus made vacant both as a member and President of the same.

Lost,

Between Etopia and Hondo one double-barrel shotgun in brown leather case. Finder please notify E. M. Burg, 226 S. Monumental St., San Antonio, for reward. 34

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Weather Report.

For Hondo, Texas, for March, 1916. Total rainfall 3.16 inches. Temperature, highest, 94 degrees on 23d; lowest 38 on 16th.

H. E. HAASS,
Observer,
U. S. W. B.



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The compactness and copious lubrication of her engine, spinning inconceivably fast, have wiped out the last throb.

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